

**MEETING MINUTES OF THE  
READINGTON RECREATION COMMITTEE  
February 26, 2020                      7:30pm**

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

- a. Sharon Bobnar-Becker **CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER** at 7:30 pm.

**B. ATTENDANCE**

- a. Committee Members: Sharon Bobnar-Becker, Melissa Adams, Bill Quinn, Alison Quintard, Mark Toman
- b. Township Officials: Director Gabrielle Bolarakis, Assistant Director Brian VanDongen
- c. Township Committee: Committeeman John Albanese

**C. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

- a. Mr. Toman made a **MOTION TO APPROVE** the minutes of the December 2019 meeting of the Recreation Committee. **SECONDED** by Ms. Adams. **VOTE: IN FAVOR:** All present, Ms. Quintard abstaining. The motion passes 4-0, with one abstention.

**D. OLD BUSINESS**

- a. **Five Year Plan – 2020 Capital Request:** Director Bolarakis gave an update on the department's requests for capital funding.
- b. **Travel/Rec Basketball:** Assistant Director VanDongen indicated that the recreation and travel seasons were coming to an end. Travel teams are currently in their playoffs. Recreation ends with March Madness event or playoffs.
- c. **Spring Registration:** Director Bolarakis gave an update on spring sports registration and noted that most spring programs are open for registration.

**E. NEW BUSINESS**

- a. **Hillcrest Rain Garden Installation:** Director Bolarakis showed the plans for installation of a rain garden at Hillcrest Park. This will be funded by a grant received from Open Space Advisory Board. Work is expected to begin in April.
- b. **Marketing:** Director Bolarakis indicated the department underwent a marketing audit and a report is expected soon. She also mentioned that Ms. Quintard is handling social media for the department.

**F. ADJOURNMENT**

- a. Mr. Toman made a **MOTION TO ADJOURN** the meeting of the Recreation Committee. **SECONDED** by Ms. Adams. **VOTE: IN FAVOR:** All present. The motion passes 5-0.
- b. The meeting was adjourned at 9:00pm

**Next meeting of the Recreation Committee:** March 25, 2020, 7:30pm

Prepared and respectfully submitted by: Brian VanDongen, CPRP – Assistant Director of Recreation